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Applicant(s) : Manfred ARTINGER et al.
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MATERIAL TO BE CONVEYED
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TRANSMITTAL AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Applicants submit herewith a Amendment in response to the Quayle Office Action mailed on December 12, 2006, including 3 replacement drawing sheets.

In addition, Applicants respectfully request a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed December 12, 2006, for which a response period expiring on February 12, 2007 was set. The extended period expires on April 12, 2007. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fee of **\$450.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**, deposit account number **11-0600**. A copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed for that purpose.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any necessary fees (including any further extension fees) or credit any overpayments under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

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